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TO WHITE HOUSE

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PEKING 0104 17 SEPTEMBER 1975

TO: BRENT SCOWCROFT
FROM: HARRY THAYER, USLO, PEKING

REF ID: WASH 113

1. REFERRING TO YOUR 113 PARA 6, ROMANTAN REPORT ON CHOU'S
HEALTH (PEKING 1773)

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SUGGEST THAT, AT THIS STAGE AT LEAST, CHOU'S
HEALTH MAY BE FACTOR IN LEADERSHIP'S DISTRACTION AND DESIRE
TO HOLD OFF FINAL DECISION ON VISITS.

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2. WARM REGARDS,

HARRY THAYER

State Dept. review completed

ON-FILE NSC RELEASE
INSTRUCTIONS APPLY

***** WHSR COMMENT *****

SCOWCROFT, MCFARLANE, RODMAN

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